

Sri Lanka

Part A.1 Tariffs and imports: Summary and duty ranges

Summary		Total	Ag	Non-Ag	WTO member since	1995
Simple average final bound MFN applied		32.3	50.2	23.0	Binding coverage:	Total 40.5
Simple average	2022	5.9	16.8	4.2	Ag: Tariff quotas (in %)	Non-Ag 31.0
Trade weighted average	2022	5.4	17.8	3.5	Ag: Special safeguards (in %)	0
Imports in billion US\$	2021	21.5	2.8	18.7		0

Frequency distribution	Duty-free	0 <= 5	5 <= 10	10 <= 15	15 <= 25	25 <= 50	50 <= 100	> 100	NAV
	Tariff lines and import values (in %)								
Agricultural products									
Final bound	0	0.1	0	0.1	0.3	95.8	3.5	0.0	3.0
MFN applied	2022	18.8	0.4	7.6	60.9	5.5	3.2	1.2	2.4
Imports	2021	25.5	0.1	3.2	37.3	9.7	21.7	2.1	0.5
Non-agricultural products									
Final bound		0.2	7.6	6.9	0.2	6.5	8.9	0.7	0
MFN applied	2022	70.3	0.1	6.9	22.5	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0
Imports	2021	74.6	0.2	2.3	22.8	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0

Part A.2 Tariffs and imports by product groups

Product groups	Final bound duties				MFN applied duties			Imports	
	AVG	Duty-free in %	Max	Binding in %	AVG	Duty-free in %	Max	Share in %	Duty-free in %
Animal products	49.9	0	50	100	11.2	30.6	50	0.0	56.5
Dairy products	48.6	0	60	100	23.8	0	60	1.6	0
Fruit, vegetables, plants	50.8	0	60	100	13.1	13.4	42	2.4	35.7
Coffee, tea	49.8	0	60	100	15.1	0	34	0.2	0
Cereals & preparations	50.4	0	60	100	14.4	12.7	60	3.3	58.3
Oilseeds, fats & oils	49.2	0	50	98.8	13.2	7.8	43	2.4	2.6
Sugars and confectionery	50.0	0	50	100	15.9	0	29	1.4	0
Beverages & tobacco	51.0	0	175	100	78.9	0	175	0.4	0
Cotton	50.0	0	50	100	0.0	100.0	0	0.0	100.0
Other agricultural products	49.9	0	60	100	7.9	40.6	15	1.3	34.9
Fish & fish products	50.0	0	50	98.8	14.2	5.3	15	0.7	59.7
Minerals & metals	48.0	4.8	75	7.0	5.2	60.6	28	16.6	80.9
Petroleum	20.0	0	45	83.3	11.4	29.9	44	12.2	22.7
Chemicals	10.7	0	60	6.5	1.7	87.5	15	13.6	86.7
Wood, paper, etc.	33.9	1.8	60	19.5	7.6	47.4	15	3.1	65.3
Textiles	9.5	1.1	50	95.8	1.3	91.0	56	15.3	97.8
Clothing	17.5	0	18	100	0.0	100.0	0	0.9	100.0
Leather, footwear, etc.	50.0	0	50	8.4	9.3	32.0	15	2.7	40.3
Non-electrical machinery	7.6	0	60	14.4	1.6	90.3	153	8.5	90.8
Electrical machinery	32.0	0	60	13.5	4.1	64.6	71	7.9	72.0
Transport equipment	35.0	0	45	12.1	5.9	63.3	76	2.8	71.4
Manufactures, n.e.s.	33.0	0	100	19.6	5.8	57.4	15	2.6	78.4

Part B Exports to major trading partners and duties faced

Major markets	Bilateral imports		Diversification		MFN AVG of		Pref. margin	Duty-free imports	
	in million US\$		95% trade in no. of		traded TL			TL in %	Value in %
			HS 2-digit	HS 6-digit	Simple	Weighted	Weighted		
Agricultural products									
1. European Union	2021	487	13	41	14.2	6.1	5.9	67.9	98.9
2. India	2021	386	8	15	51.0	47.4	43.8	73.5	58.9
3. United States of America	2021	212	12	28	2.5	1.1	1.0	85.1	98.5
4. Russian Federation	2021	123	2	4	6.5	3.2	0.8	6.9	70.8
5. Japan	2021	105	9	16	11.8	4.4	0.5	45.4	46.4
Non-agricultural products									
1. United States of America	2021	2,749	26	128	6.5	12.0	0.3	58.1	30.9
2. European Union	2021	2,524	31	176	5.4	8.2	8.2	99.8	100.0
3. United Kingdom	2021	711	31	148	6.0	8.7	8.7	99.5	99.6
4. India	2021	620	46	171	13.3	11.5	10.2	80.4	82.5
5. China	2021	475	23	72	5.9	6.5	1.0	12.5	9.8